

<b>REQUEST for CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL</b>			
<i>Address to:</i> Mail Stop RCE Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450		Application Number	10/521,575
		Filing Date	July 20, 2005
		First Named Inventor	Sumio IJIMA et al.
		Group Art Unit	1633
		Examiner Name	Robert M. Kelly
		Attorney Docket Number	2005_0065A
		Confirmation No.	4026
<p>This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application. Request for Continued Examination (RCE) practice under 37 CFR 1.114 does not apply to any utility or plant application filed prior to June 8, 1995, or to any design application. See Instruction Sheet for RCEs (not to be submitted to the USPTO) on page 2.</p>			
<p>1. Submission required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 – Note: If the RCE is proper, any previously filed unentered amendments and amendments enclosed with the RCE will be entered in the order in which they were filed unless applicant instructs otherwise. If applicant does not wish to have any previously filed unentered amendment(s) entered, applicant must request non-entry of such amendment(s).</p> <p>a. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Previously submitted. If a final Office Action is outstanding, any amendments filed after the final Office Action may be considered as a submission even if this box is not checked.</p> <p>I. <input type="checkbox"/> Please consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on _____            II. <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____</p> <p>b. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Enclosed:</p> <p>I. <input type="checkbox"/> Amendment/Reply _____            II. <input type="checkbox"/> Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s) _____            III. <input type="checkbox"/> Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) _____            IV. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other <u>Fee for two month Extension of Time</u> _____</p>			
<p>2. Miscellaneous</p> <p>a. <input type="checkbox"/> Suspension of action on the above-identified application is required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of _____ months (period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; Fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i) required).</p> <p>b. <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____</p>			
<p>3. Fees (The RCE fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e) is required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 when the RCE is filed.)</p> <p>a. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Payment is made by credit card no. 4264 0780 0000 1072 in the amount of \$1,300.00.</p> <p>I. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> RCE fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e) _____            II. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Extension of time fee (37 C.F.R. § 1.136 and § 1.17) _____            III. <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____</p> <p>b. <input type="checkbox"/> Check in the amount of \$ enclosed</p> <p>I. <input type="checkbox"/> RCE fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e) _____            II. <input type="checkbox"/> Extension of time fee (37 C.F.R. § 1.136 and § 1.17) _____            III. <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____</p>			
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